

Unit 1 short answer: ANSWER ON OWN PAPER

Short Answer

Identify and give the historical significance of 7 of the following 10 in a well written paragraph:

1. Bartolomé de Las Casas
2. Half-Way Covenant
3. Toleration Act
4. Bacon's Rebellion
5. William Penn
6. European Enlightenment
7. Georgia colony
8. the Great Awakening
9. Benjamin Franklin
10. the Middle Passage

Short Answer: Choose 2 of the following to answer in 2-3 well written paragraphs.

11. One Spanish official remarked that "the maxim of the conqueror must be to settle." Explain what you think he meant by this statement. Illustrate the various ways conquerors settled the New World, commenting on what worked, what did not work, and the consequences of those methods.
12. Compare Indian society with that of the Europeans. What differences were there? Similarities? Be sure to include in your analysis ideas about religion, land, and gender roles, as well as notions of freedom.
13. Many degrees of freedom coexisted in seventeenth-century North America. Discuss the various definitions of freedom. Be sure to include slaves, indentured servants, women, Indians, property owners, and Puritans in your discussion. Identify any similarities and differences among these different versions of freedom.
14. While slavery was expanding in British America, so too was freedom. Compare the simultaneous expansion of freedom and slavery. How was the concept of race increasingly important in this process?